

**Federal Business Opportunities
(FedBizOpps-FBO)**

**FBO Vendors Guide
(FBO Release 2.0)**

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Introduction

As of January 1, 2002, the Federal Business Opportunities (FedBizOpps/FBO) system has been the single government point-of-entry (GPE) for Federal government procurement notices over \$25,000. Government buyers are able to publicize their business opportunities by posting information directly to FedBizOpps via the Internet. Through one portal - FedBizOpps - commercial vendors seeking Federal markets for their products and services can search, monitor and retrieve opportunities solicited by the entire Federal contracting community. The system also provides the opportunity for vendors to receive email notification of postings relevant to their business.

To obtain access to the FedBizOpps System, type "www.fedbizopps.gov" in the address bar of your web browser. Then, press the "Enter" key on your keyboard, and the following screen is displayed:



Figure 1: FedBizOpps Home Page

Vendors do not need to register, nor do they require a username and password, to begin using FedBizOpps. Please do not fill out the "Registration Form for Federal Users", as this applies to federal contracting officers, not vendors.

For vendors, the FedBizOpps system provides:

1. The ability to browse active procurement notices by Posted Date, Classification Code, Set-Aside Type, as well as awards, for a particular Agency/Office/Location.
2. The ability to search for procurement notices through the use of the FBO Synopsis/Awards search page.
3. An Email Notification Service (Vendors Notification Service), which allows vendors to receive daily email notifications of procurement notices by Agency/Office/Location, Procurement Classification Code, Set-Aside Type, or Place of Performance Zip Code.

4. An Interested Vendors Module (Bidder's List) to promote teaming opportunities for vendors.
5. An FBO Datafeed File, which provides daily posting data in html format.

Please Note: Vendors should not use the "Buyers" button. The FedBizOpps Buyers button requires a username and password and is for contracting officers only. Vendors will not be able to use the Buyers module.

Before using the FedBizOpps system to look for Federal procurement notices, please ensure you have an HTML 4 Compliant Browser or better (Netscape Communicator 4.0, Microsoft Internet Explorer 4.0, or AOL version 4.0, etc.)

Browse Active Postings

A. Active Procurement Opportunities

The FedBizOpps system provides vendors with the ability to view active procurement notices by Posted Date, Classification Code, Set-Aside Type, as well as the ability to view active awards for a particular Agency/Office/Location.

To browse active postings, go to www.fedbizopps.gov and click on "Vendors".

The screenshot shows the "Vendors" page of the FedBizOpps system. The header features the word "Vendors" and the tagline "Federal Business Opportunities" against a background of the US Capitol dome and an American flag. The page is divided into three main sections: a left sidebar, a central content area, and a right sidebar.

Left Sidebar:

- Find Business Opportunity** with a "go" button.
- Vendors Links:**
 - ▶ ARNET Home Page
 - ▶ Vendors Feedback Email
 - ▶ Vendors Notification Service
 - ▶ Vendors User Guide
- General Information:**
 - ▶ Section 508 Vendor Notice
 - ▶ Interface Description
 - ▶ Management Responsibility
 - ▶ Frequently Asked Questions
- Privacy and Security Statement:**
 - ▶ Privacy and Security Statement

Central Content Area:

Search Agency by
Acronym and Alphabetic Order

Acronym:
Select One ▼

Alphabetic Order:
ALL DoD A-D E-H I-P Q-Z

Right Sidebar:

- FedBizOpps News:**
 - ▶ What's New?
 - ▶ 508 Compliance
- Contact Information:**
 - ▶ Email: fbo.support@gsa.gov
 - ▶ Phone: 877-472-3779 (Toll Free)
- FedBizOpps Home:**
 - ▶ FedBizOpps Home
 - ▶ FedBizOpps Buyers

Figure 2: FedBizOpps for Vendors

You can browse active postings for a particular agency by the agency acronym (using the dropdown box) or by a listing of agencies in alphabetical order. If you would like to view a list of all agencies, click on "All".

Browse Active Postings

Vendors

Federal Business Opportunities

All

DoD A-D E-H I-P Q-Z Home

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Agency	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Administrative Office of the U. S. Courts (AOUSC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Agency for International Development (AID)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
American Battle Monuments Commission (ABMC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Architect of the Capitol (AOC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Armed Forces Retirement Home - Washington (USSAH)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
British Defense Staff (Washington) (BDSW)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Broadcasting Board of Governors (BBG)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Comm for Purchase from People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled (JWOD)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Corporation for National and Community Service (CNS)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Defense Contract Management Agency (DCMA)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Defense Logistics Agency (DLA)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board (DNFSB)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Delaware River Basin Commission (DREB)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Department of Agriculture (USDA)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Department of Commerce (DOC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside

Figure 3: Agency List

Each agency will be listed along with links to Offices, Posted Dates, Class Code, Award, and Set Aside.

Clicking on the "Offices" link for a particular agency will allow you to view active postings for a particular office within an agency. You can then drilldown even further by clicking on the "Locations" link within an office to view the active postings for a particular location within the office of an agency.

To view the active postings for a particular agency, click on "Posted Dates" next to the agency name. In this scenario, we will view the active postings for the Department of the Treasury. Click on "Posted Dates" next to the Department of Treasury listing.

Browse Active Postings

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Synopsis and Solicitation Grouped by Posted Date

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- ▶ DoD Postings

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Recent Postings:136

Mar 18, 2002
Agency:Department of the Treasury
Office:Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
Location:Office of Procurement

♦ **Posted:**Mar 18, 2002 **Type:** [Synopsis](#) **Title:**68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH **SOL:**BEP-01-04

♦ **Posted:**Mar 18, 2002 **Type:** [Solicitation](#) **Title:**68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH **SOL:**BEP-01-04

♦ **Posted:**Mar 18, 2002 **Type:** [Amendment 01](#) **Title:**68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH **SOL:**BEP-01-04

♦ **Posted:**Mar 18, 2002 **Type:** [Amendment 02](#) **Title:**68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH **SOL:**BEP-01-04

Jun 02, 2000
Agency:Department of the Treasury
Office:Bureau of the Public Debt (BPD)


Figure 4: Department of Treasury Active Postings


All of the active postings for this agency are listed here starting with the most current posting date. Each listing provides:

- Agency, Office and Location that posted the procurement notice.
- Date Posted
- Type of notice posted (Synopsis, Modification, Solicitation, etc.)
- Classification Code
- Title
- Solicitation or Reference Number

You can also view active postings by Classification Code or Set Aside Type. Clicking on "Class Code" will display the active postings in order by classification code, while clicking on "Set Aside" will display the active postings in order by set aside type.

To view the actual posting, click on the highlighted link for the opportunity. In this case, click on the highlighted link for "Synopsis".



Department of the Treasury

Business Opportunities

Office : Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
Location : Office of Procurement

Solicitation number : BEP-01-04
Title : 68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH

[Synopsis](#) - Posted on Nov 02, 2000
[Solicitation](#) - Posted on Dec 25, 2000
[Amendment 01](#) - Posted on Jan 04, 2001
[Amendment 02](#) - Posted on Jan 11, 2001

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Figure 5: Listing Page

Clicking on "Synopsis" will bring you to the listing page for this solicitation number. The listing page lists everything posted to a particular solicitation number. In this case, a synopsis, solicitation, and two amendments have been posted to this solicitation number. To view any of these postings, click on the highlighted link. It is recommend that you first view the synopsis, as this gives a basic description of the opportunity, along with point of contact information. Click on the highlighted link for "Synopsis".

Please Note:

- Presolicitation Notices, Special Notices, Sources Sought Notices, Foreign Government Standards, and Sale of Surplus Property will all be listed as "Synopsis".
- Modifications will be listed as "Modification".
- The Combined Synopsis/Solicitation will be listed as "Combine Synopsis/Solicitation".
- Uploaded documents will be listed as "Solicitation", "Amendment", or a header chosen by the contracting officer, such as "Response to Questions".
- Modifications are used to "modify" synopses, whereas amendments are used to "amend" solicitation packages. The combined synopsis/solicitation is used when the procurement is announced and issued at the same time.



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- [Solicitation](#) - Posted on Dec 25, 2000
- [Amendment 01](#) - Posted on Jan 04, 2001
- [Amendment 02](#) - Posted on Jan 11, 2001

General Information

Document Type: Presolicitation Notice
 Solicitation Number: BEP-01-04
 Posted Date: Nov 02, 2000
 Original Response Date: Jan 18, 2001
 Current Response Date: Jan 18, 2001
 Original Archive Date:
 Current Archive Date:
 Classification Code: 68 -- Chemicals & chemical products

Contracting Office Address

Department of the Treasury, Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP), Office of Procurement, 14th & C. Streets, S.W., Washington, DC 20228

Figure 6: Synopsis

Description

The Bureau of Engraving & Printing (BEP) has a requirement for Non-heatset Sheet-fed Intaglio Green and Black Cylinder-wipe Inks and Varnish suitable for use in printing U.S. currency by sheet-fed presses at the Bureau's facilities in Washington, D.C. an A fixed-price indefinite delivery/indefinite quantity type contract is anticipated encompassing a base period of twelve months with four (4) twelve month option periods. The combined estimated quantity in the base period for Washington, D.C. and Ft. Worth, Texas is as follows: Green Ink: 3,317,154 pounds, Black Ink: 1,653,418 pounds, and Varnish: 286,381 pounds. The estimated quantities for all Option Periods is expected to remain unchanged from that of the base period. This procurement will be negotiated and awarded according to the procedures set forth in the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Part 12. Offerors will be requested to submit a material sample with their offer for test and evaluation. The source selection decision will be based upon overall best value to the BEP, price and non-price factors considered. It is anticipated that a solicitation will be issued on or before December 4, 2000. A forty-five (45) day response time is planned. Contract award is planned for August 15, 2001. BEP is posting this announcement, as well as, the final solicitation on GSA's Federal Business Opportunities website (formally know as EPS) at <http://www.eps.gov>. Interested offerors are encouraged to register for FedBiz's electronic notification for issuance of the final solicitation, amendments and/or changes to this notice. Offerors may also provide an e-mail address to the Bureau to receive electronic notification. Questions regarding this procurement should be addressed to Larry McCain on (202) 874-0133 or e-mailed to larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov.

Original Point of Contact

Larry McCain, Contract Specialist, Phone (202) 874-0133, Fax (202) 874-3135, Email larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

Email your questions to Larry McCain at larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

Current Point of Contact

Larry McCain, Contract Specialist, Phone (202) 874-0133, Fax (202) 874-3135, Email larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

Email your questions to Larry McCain at larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

Register to Receive Notification

Figure 7: Synopsis

The "Register to Receive Notification" button ties into our Vendor Notification Service, which is discussed in Section III of this user's guide.

The "Register as Interested Vendor" button ties into our Interested Vendors Module, which is discussed in Section IV of this user's guide.

There is also a link to "Numbered Notes". Numbered Notes are Footnotes. The purpose of the Numbered Notes is to eliminate the unnecessary duplication of information that appears in various announcements. If a Numbered Note is included in the description of a notice, the note referred to must be read as part of the posted notice.

Postings with the header of "Solicitation" or "Amendment" indicate documents uploaded to the solicitation number. To view the uploaded document(s), click on the highlighted link for "Solicitation", "Amendment 01", or "Amendment 02".

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The complete result set of Active or Archived postings is available from the [Search FBO Posts](#)

Any inconsistency between the original printed document and the disk or electronic document shall be resolved by giving precedence to the printed document.

If you have any questions, please contact Larry McCain, Contract Specialist, Phone (202) 874-0133, Fax (202) 874-3135, Email larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

If you need document viewers, please try the following [Document Viewer List](#)


 **Solicitation** (Posted on Dec 25, 2000)

Description	Size(KB)	File Format
Attachment A	183413	pdf
Attachment B	595020	pdf
Attachment C	69716	pdf
Attachment D	102545	pdf
Attachment E	37931	pdf


Figure 8: Attachments Page

Browse Active Postings

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 **Amendment 01** *(Posted on Jan 04, 2001)*

Description	Size(KB)	File Format
Amendment 001	60559	rtf
All Files	8532	Zip Compression

 **Amendment 02** *(Posted on Jan 11, 2001)*

Description	Size(KB)	File Format
Amendment 002	86409	rtf
All Files	14502	Zip Compression

Register to Receive Notification

[\[Home\]](#) [\[SEARCH synopses\]](#) [\[Procurement Reference Library\]](#)

The complete result set of Active or Archived postings is available from the [Search FBO Posts](#)

Figure 9: Attachments Page

Clicking on "Solicitation", "Amendment 01", or "Amendment 02" will bring you to the attachments page for this solicitation number. The attachments page lists all of the documents uploaded to a particular solicitation number. Each document listing includes:

- Document Description
- File Size
- File Type

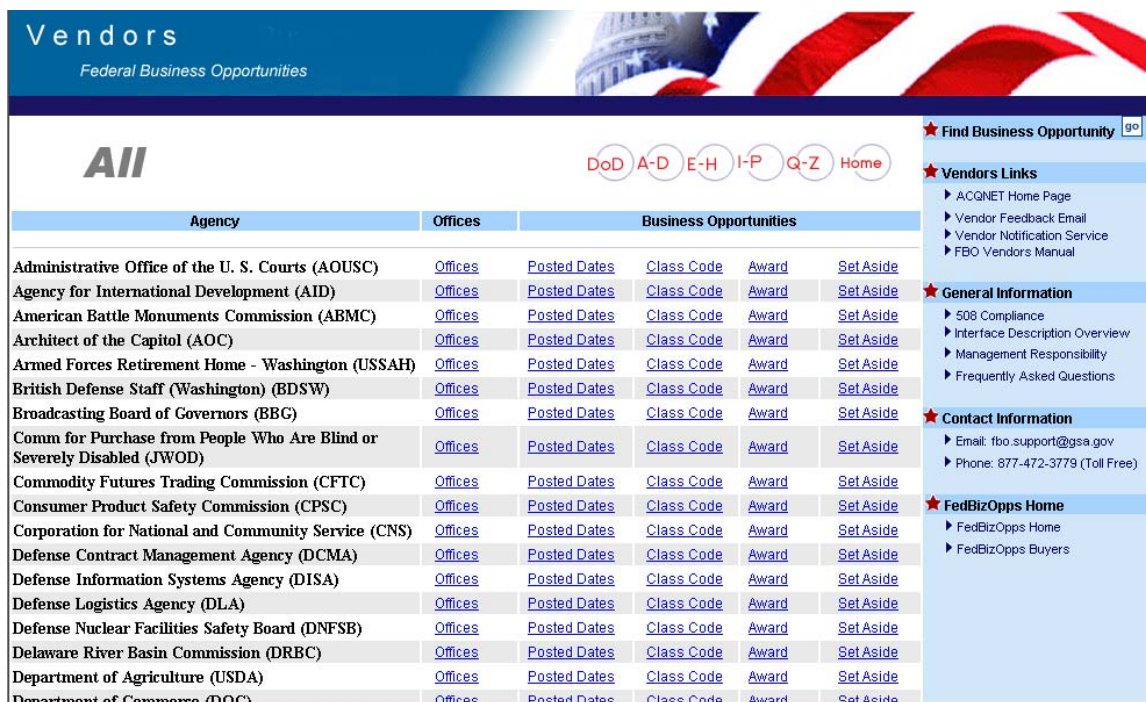
To view a particular document, click on the highlighted link in the "Description" field. You can view, download, and print these documents directly from the FedBizOps site.

A zip compression file has also been provided for the convenience of vendors. To download the zip file, click on the highlighted link for "All Files". This is a zip compression file of all of the documents in a particular upload, that is, all of the documents listed immediately above the zip file. By clicking on "All Files" under "Solicitation", you will download a zip compression file of the 14 files uploaded to the header "Solicitation".

On each attachments page, there is a link to the "Document Viewer List". If you find that you cannot open a file because your computer does not recognize the file type, please refer to the document viewer list to obtain the necessary software.

Any specific questions regarding a procurement notice should be directed to the point of contact listed in the synopsis, unless other contact information is indicated.

B. Active Awards



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Agency	Offices	Business Opportunities			
Administrative Office of the U. S. Courts (AOUSC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Agency for International Development (AID)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
American Battle Monuments Commission (ABMC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Architect of the Capitol (AOC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Armed Forces Retirement Home - Washington (USSAH)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
British Defense Staff (Washington) (BDSW)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Broadcasting Board of Governors (BBG)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Comm for Purchase from People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled (JWOD)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Corporation for National and Community Service (CNS)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Defense Contract Management Agency (DCMA)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Defense Logistics Agency (DLA)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board (DNFSB)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Delaware River Basin Commission (DRBC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Department of Agriculture (USDA)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside
Department of Commerce (DOC)	Offices	Posted Dates	Class Code	Award	Set Aside

Figure 10: Agency List

To view the active awards for a particular agency, click on "Award" next to the agency name. In this scenario, we will view the active awards for the Department of the Treasury. Click on "Award" next to the Department of Treasury listing.

Please Note: The "Award" button will only pull up active awards. Archived awards can be accessed via the Synopsis/Awards Search page as described in Section II of this user's guide.

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Synopses of Contract Awards

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Recent Postings:7

Feb 10, 2000

Agency:Department of the Treasury

Office:Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC)

Location:Administrative Division (AAD)

♦Posted:Feb 10, 2000 Type: [Award](#) Title:TWO FULLY BAFFLED OUTDOOR FIREARMS RANGES Award Number:Ttfc-00-A01

Dec 29, 1999

Agency:Department of the Treasury

Office:Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC)

Location:Procurement Division

♦Posted:Dec 29, 1999 Type: [Award](#) Title:REPAIR/REROOF PORTIONS OF BLDG 252, FLETC, GLYNCO, GA 31524 Award Number:Ttfc00-02

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Vendors Links

- ▶ ARNET Home Page
- ▶ Vendors Feedback Email
- ▶ Vendors Notification Service
- ▶ Vendors User Guide

Post by Agencies

- ▶ All Agency Postings
- ▶ DoD Postings

Contact Information

- ▶ Email: fbo.support@gsa.gov
- ▶ Phone: 877-472-3779 (Toll Free)

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Figure 11: Department of Treasury Active Awards

Click on the highlighted link for "Award" to view the award notice.

GENERAL AVIONICS EQUIPMENT FOR P-3 AIRCRAFT

General Information

Document Type:

Award Notice

Posted Date:

Oct 01, 1999

Original Archive Date:

Current Archive Date:

Classification Code:

16 -- Aircraft components & accessories

Contracting Office Address

Department of the Treasury, United States Customs Service (USCS), Procurement Division, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Room 4.2-E, Washington, DC 20229

Description

Contract Award Date:

Oct 30, 1999

Contract Award Number:

Tc-99-047

Contract Award Amount:

\$1,334,529.78

Contract Line Item Number:

Contractor:

Rockwell Collins, Inc. Collins General Aviation Div. 400 Collins Road, NE Cedar Rapids IA 52498

Original Point of Contact

Ronald Venable, Contract Specialist, Phone (202) 927-1132, Fax (202) 927-1812, Email ron.venable@customs.treas.gov - Diane Sahakian, Contract Specialist, Phone (202) 927-0642, Fax (202) 927-1190, Email diane.sahakian@customs.treas.gov

Figure 12: Award Notice

Synopsis/Award Search Page

The FedBizOpps system includes an extensive search capability.



Figure 13: FedBizOpps Home Page

FBO Synopsis/Awards Search

NOTE: The Federal contracting professionals identified as "points of contact" are responsible for responding to all questions about the content of any synopsis.

- On some browsers, it may be necessary to hold down the **CONTROL**, **APPLE**, or **SHIFT** key to select multiple items
- The following wildcard characters may be used in the search text field:
use '*' to replace 1 or more characters
use '?' to replace any 1 character
- For an NAICS code search use the valid six-digit NAICS code as a keyword in the full text search window. Examples of valid NAICS code search variations are **233220**, **233***** (grouped search), **233220 OR 234990** (multiple search).

Full Text Search:

Documents To Search:

☒ Active Documents

☐ Archived Documents

Search for:

☒ Synopses

☐ Awards

Search by Solicitation / Award Number:

Dates to Search:

All Days
Last 3 Days

Figure 14: Synopsis/Award Search Page

Search by Place of Performance Zip Code:

Search by Set-Aside Code:

All Codes
 1 - N/A
 2 - Total HBCU
 3 - Total Small Business
 4 - Total Small Disadvantage Business

Search by Procurement Classification Code:

All Codes
 10 - Weapons
 11 - Nuclear ordnance
 12 - Fire control equipment
 13 - Ammunition & explosives

[Additional information on Classification Codes](#)

Search by Agency:

All Agencies
 Administrative Office of the U. S. Courts
 Agency for International Development
 American Battle Monuments Commission
 Architect of the Capitol

Show Offices for Selected Agencies

Start Search Clear Form

Figure 15: Synopsis/Award Search Page

The search page allows you to search by **ONE** or **MORE** of the following search criteria:

- Keyword Search
- Active or Archived Documents
- Synopses or Awards
- Solicitation or Award Number
- Date
- Set-Aside Code
- Procurement Classification Code
- Agency/Office/Location

The following wildcard characters may be used when using the search capability:

Use "*" to replace one or more characters;
 Use "?" to replace any one character.

A. Full Text Search Field

The Full Text Search field supports keyword searches and boolean search strings using AND, OR, and parenthetical grouping.

Synopsis/Award Search Page

To search for notices including the word "maintenance", enter "**maintenance**" into the full text search field.

Please Note: You can enter keywords without quotation marks, but the search results may contain a broader range of information. Without quotation marks surrounding the keyword, the full text search field will look for root words of the word entered, as well as the word you entered. If you are looking specifically for the word "maintenance", we recommend that you enter the keyword with quotation marks.

To search for notices including the words "information technology", enter "**information technology**" or "**information** AND **technology**" into the full text search field.

To search for notices including the words "transportation" or "railroad", enter "**transportation**" OR "**railroad**" into the full text search field.

To search for "information technology" or "transportation", enter "**information technology**" OR "**transportation**" into the full text search field.

B. Documents to Search

Vendors can search the active or archived documents database. Generally, active documents are those procurement opportunities that are still "active", whereas archived documents are those that are no longer active.

Please note that the archiving policy is set by the contracting officer. The notice may be unarchived by a contracting officer in the event that the response date has changed and/or new information needs to be posted to the notice.

C. Synopses or Awards

Vendors can search for synopses or awards by selecting the appropriate radio button.

D. Solicitation or Award Number

Vendors can search by complete or partial solicitation or award number, if the vendor has been provided this information.

E. Dates to Search

Vendors can search by date periods. A timeframe ranging from the "last 3 days" to "8 weeks" can be specified. If searching for more than 8 days of postings, the default, "all days", should be used.

F. Place of Performance Zip Code

Vendors can choose to search by place of performance zip code. Examples of valid zip code search variations are **22000** and **22*** (grouped search).

Please Note: To search for notices in state or geographic areas, we recommend using the full text search field. To search for opportunities in Virginia regarding transportation, a valid search entry in the full text search field would be **"transportation" AND "Virginia"**.

G. Set-Aside Code

Vendors can choose to search by a particular set-aside code, or by multiple set-aside codes. To select multiple set-aside codes, click on a set-aside code to highlight and select it, then press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard and hold it down while clicking on each additional selection. When selecting multiple set-aside codes, please make sure that the "All Codes" selection is not highlighted.

H. Procurement Classification Code

The FedBizOpps system uses Federal Supply Classification codes.

Vendors can choose to search by a particular classification code, or by multiple classification codes. To select multiple classification codes, click on a classification code to highlight and select it, then press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard and hold it down while clicking on each additional selection. When selecting multiple classification codes, please make sure that the "All Codes" selection is not highlighted.

Additional information on Federal Supply Classification codes can be found at the following site:

<http://www.thertg.com/secrc/fsc-codes/fsc.html>

Please Note: Searches for NAICS codes should be completed using the full text search field. For an NAICS code search, use the valid six-digit NAICS code as a keyword in the full text search window. Examples of valid NAICS code search variations are **233220**, **233***** (grouped search), **233220 OR 234990** (multiple search).

I. Agency

Vendors can choose to search by a particular agency, or by multiple agencies. To select multiple agencies, click on an agency to highlight and select it, then press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard and hold it down while clicking on each additional selection. When selecting multiple agencies, please make sure that the "All Agencies" selection is not highlighted.

Vendors can also search by a particular agency's office, or location. To search by a particular office within an agency, **highlight the agency** and click on **"Show Offices for Selected Agency"**.

Synopsis/Award Search Page

Search by Place of Performance Zip Code:

Search by Set-Aside Code:

All Codes

1 - N/A

2 - Total HBCU

3 - Total Small Business

4 - Total Small Disadvantage Business

Search by Procurement Classification Code:

All Codes

10 - Weapons

11 - Nuclear ordnance

12 - Fire control equipment

13 - Ammunition & explosives

[Additional information on Classification Codes](#)

Search by Agency:

Department of the Navy

Department of the Treasury

Department of Transportation

Department of Veterans' Affairs

District of Columbia Government

Show Offices for Selected Agencies

Start Search

Clear Form

Figure 16: Search by Agency

This will give you a list of offices within that agency. Please note that you can only specify an office search within one agency. This capability will not allow you to search for postings by particular offices within multiple agencies.

You can drill your search down further by selecting a specific location within an office. To search by a particular location within an office, highlight the office and click on "Show Locations for Selected Office".

Search by Procurement Classification Code:

All Codes
 10 – Weapons
 11 – Nuclear ordnance
 12 – Fire control equipment
 13 – Ammunition & explosives

[Additional information on Classification Codes](#)

Search by Agency:

Department of the Navy
 Department of the Treasury
 Department of Transportation
 Department of Veterans' Affairs
 District of Columbia Government

Search by Office:

All Offices
 Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF)
 Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
 Bureau of the Public Debt (BPD)
 Comptroller of the Currency (OCC)

Show Locations for Selected Offices

Start Search Clear Form

Figure 17: Search by Agency/Office

This will give you a list of locations within that office. Please note that you can only specify a location search within one office. This capability will not allow you to search for postings by particular locations within multiple offices.

[Additional information on Classification Codes](#)

Search by Agency:

Department of the Interior
 Department of the Navy
 Department of the Treasury
 Department of Transportation
 Department of Veterans' Affairs

Search by Office:

All Offices
 Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF)
 Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
 Bureau of the Public Debt (BPD)
 Comptroller of the Currency (OCC)

Search by Location:

All Locations
 Office of Procurement

Start Search Clear Form

Figure 18: Search by Agency/Office/Location

Synopsis/Award Search Page

Once you have filled in the appropriate criteria, click on "Start Search" to execute the search.

The screenshot shows the 'Vendors' section of the Federal Business Opportunities website. The header includes the Department of the Treasury logo and the text 'TREAS - Synopsis and Solicitation Grouped by Posted Date'. A navigation bar at the top right contains links like 'Find Business Opportunity', 'Vendors Links', 'Post by Agencies', 'Contact Information', and 'FedBizOpps Home'. The main content area displays 'Recent Postings: 136' and lists search results grouped by date. The first group is for 'Mar 18, 2002', showing multiple postings for 'NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH' with various titles and SOL numbers. The second group is for 'Jun 02, 2000', showing a posting for the 'Bureau of the Public Debt (BPD)'. The right sidebar contains links to ARNET Home Page, Vendors Feedback Email, Vendors Notification Service, Vendors User Guide, All Agency Postings, DoD Postings, Email support, Phone support, FedBizOpps Home, and FedBizOpps Buyers.

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Federal Business Opportunities

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Synopsis and Solicitation Grouped by Posted Date

[Agency Postings](#) | [Posted Date](#) | [Class code](#) | [Award](#) | [Set Aside](#)

Recent Postings: 136

Mar 18, 2002
Agency: Department of the Treasury
Office: Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
Location: Office of Procurement
 Posted: Mar 18, 2002 **Type:** [Synopsis](#) **Title:** 68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH **SOL:** BEP-01-04
 Posted: Mar 18, 2002 **Type:** [Solicitation](#) **Title:** 68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH **SOL:** BEP-01-04
 Posted: Mar 18, 2002 **Type:** [Amendment 01](#) **Title:** 68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH **SOL:** BEP-01-04
 Posted: Mar 18, 2002 **Type:** [Amendment 02](#) **Title:** 68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH **SOL:** BEP-01-04

Jun 02, 2000
Agency: Department of the Treasury
Office: Bureau of the Public Debt (BPD)

Find Business Opportunity

Vendors Links
 ▶ ARNET Home Page
 ▶ Vendors Feedback Email
 ▶ Vendors Notification Service
 ▶ Vendors User Guide


Post by Agencies
 ▶ All Agency Postings
 ▶ DoD Postings

Contact Information
 ▶ Email: fbo.support@gsa.gov
 ▶ Phone: 877-472-3779 (Toll Free)

FedBizOpps Home
 ▶ FedBizOpps Home
 ▶ FedBizOpps Buyers

Figure 19: Search Results Page

To view the actual posting, click on the highlighted link for the opportunity. In this case, click on the highlighted link for "Synopsis".






Department of the Treasury

Business Opportunities

Office : Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
Location : Office of Procurement

Solicitation number : BEP-01-04
Title : 68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH

[Synopsis](#) - Posted on Nov 02, 2000
[Solicitation](#) - Posted on Dec 25, 2000
[Amendment 01](#) - Posted on Jan 04, 2001
[Amendment 02](#) - Posted on Jan 11, 2001

Figure 20: Listing Page

Clicking on "Synopsis" will bring you to the listing page for this solicitation number. The listing page lists everything posted to a particular solicitation number. In this case, a synopsis, solicitation, and two amendments have been posted to this solicitation number. To view any of these postings, click on the highlighted link. It is recommended that you first view the synopsis, as this gives a basic description of the opportunity, along with point of contact information. Click on the highlighted link for "Synopsis".

Please Note:

- Presolicitation Notices, Special Notices, Sources Sought Notices, Foreign Government Standards, and Sale of Surplus Property will all be listed as "Synopsis".
- Modifications will be listed as "Modification".
- The Combined Synopsis/Solicitation will be listed as "Combine Synopsis/Solicitation".
- Uploaded documents will be listed as "Solicitation", "Amendment", or a header chosen by the contracting officer, such as "Response to Questions".
- Modifications are used to "modify" synopses, whereas amendments are used to "amend" solicitation packages. The combined synopsis/solicitation is used when the procurement is announced and issued at the same time.



68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH

- [Solicitation](#) - Posted on Dec 25, 2000
- [Amendment 01](#) - Posted on Jan 04, 2001
- [Amendment 02](#) - Posted on Jan 11, 2001

General Information

Document Type: Presolicitation Notice
 Solicitation Number: BEP-01-04
 Posted Date: Nov 02, 2000
 Original Response Date: Jan 18, 2001
 Current Response Date: Jan 18, 2001
 Original Archive Date:
 Current Archive Date:
 Classification Code: 68 -- Chemicals & chemical products

Contracting Office Address

Department of the Treasury, Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP), Office of Procurement, 14th & C. Streets, S.W., Washington, DC 20228

Figure 21: Synopsis

Description

The Bureau of Engraving & Printing (BEP) has a requirement for Non-heatset Sheet-fed Intaglio Green and Black Cylinder-wipe Inks and Varnish suitable for use in printing U.S. currency by sheet-fed presses at the Bureau's facilities in Washington, D.C. an A fixed-price indefinite delivery/indefinite quantity type contract is anticipated encompassing a base period of twelve months with four (4) twelve month option periods. The combined estimated quantity in the base period for Washington, D.C. and Ft. Worth, Texas is as follows: Green Ink: 3,317,154 pounds, Black Ink: 1,653,418 pounds, and Varnish: 286,381 pounds. The estimated quantities for all Option Periods is expected to remain unchanged from that of the base period. This procurement will be negotiated and awarded according to the procedures set forth in the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Part 12. Offerors will be requested to submit a material sample with their offer for test and evaluation. The source selection decision will be based upon overall best value to the BEP, price and non-price factors considered. It is anticipated that a solicitation will be issued on or before December 4, 2000. A forty-five (45) day response time is planned. Contract award is planned for August 15, 2001. BEP is posting this announcement, as well as, the final solicitation on GSA's Federal Business Opportunities website (formally known as EPS) at <http://www.eps.gov>. Interested offerors are encouraged to register for FedBiz's electronic notification for issuance of the final solicitation, amendments and/or changes to this notice. Offerors may also provide an e-mail address to the Bureau to receive electronic notification. Questions regarding this procurement should be addressed to Larry McCain on (202) 874-0133 or e-mailed to larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov.

Original Point of Contact

Larry McCain, Contract Specialist, Phone (202) 874-0133, Fax (202) 874-3135, Email larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

Email your questions to Larry McCain at larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

Current Point of Contact

Larry McCain, Contract Specialist, Phone (202) 874-0133, Fax (202) 874-3135, Email larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

Email your questions to Larry McCain at larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

Register to Receive Notification

Government-wide Numbered Notes

You may return to Business Opportunities at:

Figure 22: Synopsis

Synopsis/Award Search Page

The "Register to Receive Notification" button ties into our Vendor Notification Service, which is discussed in Section III of this user's guide.

The "Register as Interested Vendor" button ties into our Interested Vendors Module, which is discussed in Section IV of this user's guide.

There is also a link to "Numbered Notes". Numbered Notes are Footnotes. The purpose of the Numbered Notes is to eliminate the unnecessary duplication of information that appears in various announcements. If a Numbered Note is included in the description of a notice, the note referred to must be read as part of the posted notice.

Postings with the header of "Solicitation" or "Amendment" indicate documents uploaded to the solicitation number. To view the uploaded document(s), click on the highlighted link for "Solicitation", "Amendment 01", or "Amendment 02".


68 -- NON-HEATSET SHEET-FED INTAGLIO GREEN AND BLACK CYLINDER-WIPE INKS AND VARNISH BEP-01-04

The complete result set of Active or Archived postings is available from the [Search FBO Posts](#)

Any inconsistency between the original printed document and the disk or electronic document shall be resolved by giving precedence to the printed document.

If you have any questions, please contact Larry McCain, Contract Specialist, Phone (202) 874-0133, Fax (202) 874-3135, Email larry.mccain@bep.treas.gov

If you need document viewers, please try the following [Document Viewer List](#)

 **Solicitation** (Posted on Dec 25, 2000)

Description	Size(KB)	File Format
Attachment A	183413	pdf
Attachment B	595020	pdf
Attachment C	69716	pdf
Attachment D	102545	pdf
Attachment E	37931	pdf

Figure 23: Attachments Page

Clicking on "Solicitation", "Amendment 01", or "Amendment 02" will bring you to the attachments page for this solicitation number. The attachments page lists all of the documents uploaded to a particular solicitation number. Each document listing includes:

- Document Description
- File Size
- File Type

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To view a particular document, click on the highlighted link in the "Description" field. You can view, download, and print these documents directly from the FedBizOpps site.

A zip compression file has also been provided for the convenience of vendors. To download the zip file, click on the highlighted link for "All Files". This is a zip compression file of all of the documents in a particular upload, that is, all of the documents listed immediately above the zip file. By clicking on "All Files" under "Solicitation", you will download a zip compression file of the 14 files uploaded to the header "Solicitation".

On each attachments page, there is a link to the "Document Viewer List". If you find that you cannot open a file because your computer does not recognize the file type, please refer to the document viewer list to obtain the necessary software.

Any specific questions regarding a procurement notice should be directed to the point of contact listed in the synopsis, unless other contact information is indicated.

Vendor Notification Service

The FedBizOpps system includes an email notification service. This service allows vendors to fill out a subscription form in order to receive email notification when notices are posted to FedBizOpps that fit a particular agency/office/location, procurement classification code, set-aside type, or place of performance zip code.

Please Note: The Vendor Notification Service does not register vendors to receive a solicitation package from the contracting officer, nor does it place the vendor's information on a bidder's or interested vendor's list. This service only registers a vendor to receive email notification of new postings to FedBizOpps that fit the criteria selected by the vendor. The Interest Vendors Module is discussed in Section IV of this user's guide.



Figure 24: FedBizOpps Home Page

To register for the Vendor Notification Service, go to www.fedbizopps.gov and click on "Vendor Notification Service".

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★ Find Business Opportunity go

★ Vendors Links

- ▶ ARNET Home Page
- ▶ Vendors Feedback Email
- ▶ Vendors User Guide

★ General Information

- ▶ Section 508 Vendor Notice
- ▶ Interface Description
- ▶ Management Responsibility
- ▶ Frequently Asked Questions

★ Contact Information

- ▶ Email: fbo.support@gsa.gov
- ▶ Phone: 877-472-3779 (Toll Free)

★ FedBizOpps Home

- ▶ FedBizOpps Home
- ▶ FedBizOpps Buyers
- ▶ FedBizOpps Vendors

Vendors Notification Service

Disclaimer: This service is provided for convenience only and does not serve as a guarantee of notification. Subscribers to this list service are ultimately responsible for reviewing the [Federal Business Opportunities](#) site for all information relevant to desired acquisitions.

Sign up to receive procurement announcements from the Federal Business Opportunities (FBO). After subscribing you will receive the following announcements by email:

- Presolicitation and their modification
- Notices of solicitation and solicitation amendment releases
- General procurement announcements

Three options are available:

1. Register to receive all notices from [solicitation number](#).
2. Register to receive all notices from [selected organizations and product service classifications](#).
3. Register to receive [all procurement notices](#).

Users of this service may add new subscriptions or [unsubscribe](#) from all subscriptions at any time.

To **remove** 1 or more subscriptions, first [unsubscribe](#) from all subscriptions, then re-subscribe the subscriptions you want to keep.

Figure 25: Vendor Notification Service

The Vendor Notification Service will send out email notifications for synopses, modifications, and uploaded documents (solicitations, amendments, etc.).

Please Note: This service will not send out notification emails for awards.

You can register to receive notification for:

- Particular solicitation numbers
- Selected organizations and product service classifications
- All notices

We recommend that you choose option # 2, as this will assist you in narrowing the number of listings you receive from the notification service. Due to the number of postings on any given day, option #3 may be too much information and may not be supported by some email systems.

Click on option #2 "Register to receive all notices from selected organizations and product service classifications".

Vendor Notification Service

Acquisition Notification Service Subscription Form

Disclaimer: This service is provided for convenience only and does not serve as a guarantee of notification. Subscribers to this list service are ultimately responsible for reviewing the [Federal Business Opportunities](#) site for all information relevant to desired acquisitions.

Your E-mail address: (Use full email address in the form of account@mailserver; ex: testacct@aol.com)

****Required****

Notes On some browsers, it may be necessary to hold down the **CONTROL**, **APPLE**, or **SHIFT** key to select multiple items

(Please choose all that apply)

Select Procurement Classification Code:

All Classcodes
10 – Weapons
11 – Nuclear ordnance
12 – Fire control equipment
13 – Ammunition & explosives

[Additional information on Classification Codes](#)

Select Set Aside Type:

All Set Aside Types
8a Competitive
N/A
Partial HBCU
Partial HUB-Zone

POP_ZIP:

Select Agency:

All Agencies
American Battle Monuments Commission

Figure 26: Vendor Notification Service Subscription Form

To subscribe, enter your email address and select any applicable criteria for which you would like to be notified of new postings.

Please Note: The Vendor Notification Service is case sensitive. If you ever need to unsubscribe, you will need to enter your email address EXACTLY as it was entered.

A. Procurement Classification Code

The FedBizOpps system uses Federal Supply Classification codes.

Vendors can choose to receive notification emails for a particular classification code, or by multiple classification codes. To select multiple codes, click on a code to highlight and select it, then press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard and hold it down while clicking on each additional selection. When selecting multiple classification codes, please make sure that the "All Codes" selection is not highlighted.

Additional information on Federal Supply Classification codes can be found at the following site:

<http://www.thertg.com/secrc/fsc-codes/fsc.html>

B. Set-Aside Type

Vendors can restrict their email notifications to notices posted for a particular set-aside type. To select multiple set-aside codes, click on a code to highlight and select it, then press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard and hold it down while clicking on each additional selection. When selecting multiple classification set-aside codes, please make sure that the "All Codes" selection is not highlighted.

As contracting officers do not always indicate set-asides in their postings, you may want to leave this field set as the default "All Set Aside Types".

C. Place of Performance Zip Code

Vendors can restrict their email notifications to notices posted with a place of performance zip code. Please be advised that this will restrict the email notifications to only those postings with this zip code indicated in the place of performance zip code field. As many contracting officers do not indicate the place of performance zip code, you may want to leave this field blank.

D. Agency

Vendors can choose to receive notification emails for a particular agency, or for multiple agencies. To select multiple agencies, click on an agency to highlight and select it, then press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard and hold it down while clicking on each additional selection. When selecting multiple agencies, please make sure that the "All Agencies" selection is not highlighted.

Vendors can also receive email notifications for a particular agency's office, or location. For a particular office within an agency, highlight the agency and click on "Show Offices for Selected Agency". This will give you a list of offices within that agency. Please note that if you would like to receive email notification for postings by particular offices within multiple agencies, you will need to subscribe multiple times.

You can narrow your email notifications by subscribing for notification emails from particular locations within an office. To receive notification emails for a particular location within an office, highlight the office and click on "Show Locations for Selected Office". This will give you a list of locations within that office. Please note that if you would like to receive email notification for postings by particular locations within multiple offices, you will need to subscribe multiple times.

Once you have filled in the appropriate criteria, click on "Subscribe to Mailing List".

Vendor Notification Service



Acquisition Notification Subscription Result

Your E-mail address **none@dev.null** has been added to the followings Acquisition Notification mailing lists.

Place Of Performance zip: Not Specified

Classification Codes	Set Aside Codes	Agencies
All Classcodes	All Set Aside Types	All Agencies

Return to:

[Federal Business Opportunities Home Page](#)

[Vendor Registration Home Page](#)

Figure 27: Confirmation

Your next screen will provide registration confirmation. Please note what you have registered for, as the system will not allow you to check your registration. If you need to check your registration, please contact the FedBizOpps help desk at 877-472-3779 or fbo.support@gsa.gov.

You can add subscription criteria to your email notification registration by using the subscription form shown in Figure 26. If you need to remove subscription criteria, you will need to unsubscribe and then subscribe again to the appropriate criteria. To unsubscribe, go to www.fedbizopps.gov and click on "Vendor Notification Service". Then click on "unsubscribe".

From: notifier@smtp.eps.gov on 06/12/2002 03:00 AM AST
To: eps.support@gsa.gov
cc:
Subject: FBO posting update

The following postings have been made on FBO:

DOT
United States Coast Guard (USCG)
Commandant (G-ACS), U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters
10 -- 12-Gauge Shotguns
Modification 03
<http://www.eps.gov/spg/DOT/USCG/GACS/DTCG23-02-Q-DTA001/listing.html>

TREAS
Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
Office of Procurement
D -- PDS Software maintenance
Synopsis
<http://www.eps.gov/spg/TREAS/BEP/OPDC20220/Reference-Number-02-06-30/listing.html>

USAF
Air Combat Command
355 CONS
10 -- GAU-2C gun parts
Synopsis
<http://www.eps.gov/spg/USAF/ACC/355CONS/F1710321350300/listing.html>

TREAS
Bureau of the Public Debt (BPD)
Division of Procurement
D -- LEASE OF FIBER OPTIC CABLE
Amendment 01
<http://www.eps.gov/spg/TREAS/BPD/DP/BPD-02-CI-0020/listing.html>

USA
U.S. Army Forces Command
Directorate of Contracting, Fort Lewis
10--M4A1 Flip Up Lock-Up Rear Back Up Sight
Synopsis
<http://www.eps.gov/spg/USA/FORSCOM/DAKF57/DAKF57-02-Q-0008/listing.html>

DLA
Logistics Operations
Defense Supply Center Columbus

Figure 28: Notifier Links

Interested Vendors Module

Email notifications are sent out at approximately midnight for the previous day's postings. Each email notification indicates:

- Agency, Office and Location that posted the procurement notice.
- Date Posted
- Classification Code
- Title
- Type of notice posted (Synopsis, Modification, Solicitation, etc.)
- Solicitation or Reference Number
- Hyperlink to the information on FedBizOpps

Simply click on the highlighted link to go to the new information posted on FedBizOpps.

The FedBizOpps system includes the capability to join and view a published list of vendors interested in a particular solicitation. This is useful for vendors who are interested in teaming on procurement opportunities. In order to register as an interested vendor for a particular solicitation, the "Register as Interested Vendor" button must be available from the listing page for a solicitation. If the contracting officer has not enabled this service for this solicitation number, then the "Register as Interested Vendor" button will not be available. In this case, you will need to contact the point of contact listed in the synopsis for information regarding the bidder's list.

The screenshot shows the 'Interested Vendors' module interface. At the top, there is a banner with the text 'Vendors Federal Business Opportunities' and a graphic of the US Capitol dome and an American flag. Below the banner, the text 'TEST ORG' is displayed in large, bold, black letters. Underneath, 'Business Opportunities' is written in a slightly smaller, bold, black font. Further down, the office and location are listed: 'Office : TEST OFFICE THREE' and 'Location : TEST LOCATION FAUX'. A horizontal line separates this section from the solicitation details. The solicitation details include 'Solicitation number : ivl_private_02' and 'Title : 11 -- IVL private'. Another horizontal line follows. Below this, there is a link for 'Synopsis' with the text '- Posted on Jun 18, 2002'. At the bottom of the main content area, there are two buttons: 'Register to Receive Notification' and 'Register as Interested Vendor'. Below these buttons is a link that says 'View List of Interested Vendors'. At the very bottom of the page, there is a link for 'Numbered Notes'.

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TEST ORG

Business Opportunities

Office : TEST OFFICE THREE
Location : TEST LOCATION FAUX

Solicitation number : ivl_private_02
Title : 11 -- IVL private

[Synopsis](#) - Posted on Jun 18, 2002

[Register to Receive Notification](#) [Register as Interested Vendor](#)

[View List of Interested Vendors](#)

[Numbered Notes](#)

Figure 29: Listing Page

To register as an interested vendor for a particular solicitation, click on "Register as Interested Vendor" from the listing page of a procurement opportunity.

Vendors
Federal Business Opportunities

★ Find Business Opportunity

★ Buyers Links

- ▶ ARNET Home Page
- ▶ Registration Form for Federal Users
- ▶ Demo FBO
- ▶ FBO Buyers Manual
- ▶ FBO Buyers Manual (Download)

★ General Information

- ▶ Section 508 Vendor Notice
- ▶ Interface Description
- ▶ Management Responsibility
- ▶ Frequently Asked Questions

★ Contact Information

- ▶ Email: fbo.support@gsa.gov
- ▶ Phone: 877-472-3779 (Toll Free)

★ FedBizOpps Home

- ▶ FedBizOpps Home
- ▶ FedBizOpps Buyers
- ▶ FedBizOpps Vendors

Interested Vendor Registration Form

You've chosen to register as Interested Vendor for solicitation 'fwl_private_02'. In order to register, please, fill out the registration form below.

Registration information:

Company Name: *

Address: *

Phone Number: *

Email Address: *

Point of Contact:

Business Type:

* - required fields.

Figure 30: Interested Vendor Registration Form

Fill out the registration form, and click on **"Register as Interested Vendor"**. You will receive a confirmation screen verifying that you are registered as an interested vendor for this solicitation. The information you submit on the registration form will be forwarded to the contracting officer responsible for that procurement notice.

Please be advised that if the contracting officer publishes the list of interested vendors, all of the information you supply in the registration form (company name, contact information, etc.) will be published on the FedBizOpps site.

Once the contracting officer has published the list, you will be able to view a list of interested vendors by clicking on the **"View List of Interested Vendors"** link. If this link is not available, and you are interested in obtaining information on other vendors interested in this notice, you will need to contact the POC listed in the synopsis.

Interested Vendors Module

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★ Find Business Opportunity

★ Vendors Links

- ▶ ARNET Home Page
- ▶ Vendors Feedback Email
- ▶ Vendors Notification Service
- ▶ Vendors User Guide

★ General Information

- ▶ Section 508 Vendor Notice
- ▶ Interface Description
- ▶ Management Responsibility
- ▶ Frequently Asked Questions

★ Contact Information

- ▶ Email: fbo.support@gsa.gov
- ▶ Phone: 877-472-3779 (Toll Free)

★ FedBizOpps Home

- ▶ FedBizOpps Home
- ▶ FedBizOpps Buyers
- ▶ FedBizOpps Vendors

Vendors Interested in Solicitation ivl_private_02

Vendor name and contact information:

Company Information	Contact Information
Company Name: Yet Another Company Business Type: Competitive	Address: test POC: test Email: test@test.com Phone: test
Company Name: test Business Type: Competitive	Address: test POC: test Email: test Phone: test
Company Name: test Business Type: Competitive	Address: test POC: test Email: othaherzog@yahoo.com Phone: test

Please Note: The Interested Vendors Module is not related to the GSA Schedule Program nor does it commit you to bidding on the opportunity. It merely informs the contracting officer that you may be interested in bidding on the opportunity.

FB0 Datafeed

In addition to the FedBizOpps online system, there is also a datafeed file, available daily, for vendors to utilize. The datafeed file is posted to <ftp://ftp.fedbizopps.gov/>. For your convenience, a link has been provided on FedBizOpps to the datafeed file. The link, entitled "FB0 Daily Synopsis Files", can be reached by going to www.fedbizopps.gov and clicking on "Vendors".

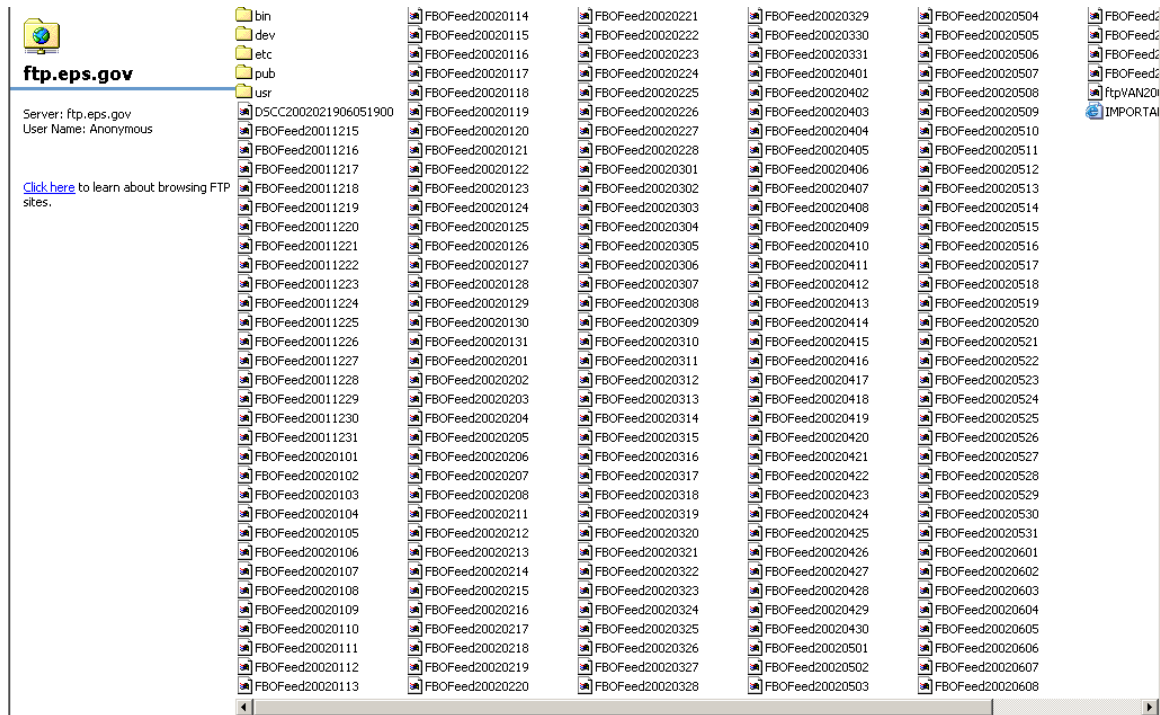


Figure 32: FB0 Datafeed

Postings for the following templates are posted to the datafeed file in html format:

- Presolicitation Notice <PRESOL>
- Modification to a Previous Notice <MOD>
- Award Notice <AWARD>
- Sources Sought Notice <SRCSGT>
- Foreign Government Standard <FSTD>
- Special Notice <SNOTE>
- Sale of Surplus Property <SSALE>
- Combined Synopsis/Solicitation <COMBINE>

Please Note: Documents uploaded to FedBizOpps will not be included in the FB0 Datafeed file.

To view, click on any of the datafeed files in FBOFEEDYYYYMMDD format.

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<PRESOL>
<DATE>0612
<YEAR>02
<AGENCY>Department of the Air Force
<OFFICE>Air Force Materiel Command
<LOCATION>OC-ALC - (Central Contracting)
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